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HOUSE ENROLLED ACT No. 1408

AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning family law and juvenile law.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. IC 33-17-1-4.1 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2003]: **Sec. 4.1. (a) As used in this section, "electronic funds transfer" means any transfer of funds, other than a transaction originated by check, draft, or similar paper instrument, that is initiated through an electronic terminal, a telephone, or a computer or magnetic tape for the purpose of ordering, instructing, or authorizing a financial institution to debit or credit an account.**

(b) The clerk may provide for the:

- (1) payment; and**
- (2) disbursement;**

of child support payments by electronic funds transfer.

(c) A person may request the clerk in writing to allow the person to:

- (1) pay child support to the clerk; or**
- (2) receive child support payment distributions from the clerk;**

by means of an electronic funds transfer.

(d) A person's written request shall authorize in advance the electronic transfer of funds. The person's written authorization must designate a financial institution and an account number. The

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person's authorization remains in effect until the person revokes it in writing.

(e) The clerk may not make an electronic funds transfer under this section except in accordance with procedures adopted by the state board of accounts.

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Speaker of the House of Representatives

President of the Senate

President Pro Tempore

Approved: _____

Governor of the State of Indiana

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